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Y. M. C. A. CAMPAIGN

There was a fair attendance at the meeting, held Monday night, in the interests of the drive by which it is proposed to raise two and a quarter million dollars, throughout Canada, for the Canadian Y. overseas.

After several selections by the Monitor Band, the meeting was opened by Chairman MacKenzie. Mr. Marwood, district organizer, spoke at some length on the aims and purposes of the Y. M. C. A., how the money was to be collected, also how it was to be used to further the work in England, France, and wherever the Canadian soldiers were stationed. Every man, woman and child is asked to give to this fund.

Corpl Osborne, who has lately returned from the front, wounded, gave a fine address, telling in detail the splendid work done by the Y. from the training camps right up to the fighting area. He stated that the work done by this organization could not be realized unless one had been 'over there' and had been through the grind.

At the close of the meeting a subscription list was passed around and the sum of \$175.00 was raised.

Anyone wishing to donate to this worthy cause can leave their money with R. P. Thompson, at the Bank. Please step lively!

Geo. Wetzel was arrested, yesterday, by the Provincial Police, charged with uttering seditious words. He was taken to Loyalist for trial.

Red Cross Day—June 13th.

The Ladies Aid will meet on Wednesday next at the home of Mrs Evans.

NEW TAXES

The Government has placed taxes on a number of articles, in order to increase the revenue so as to meet the war expenditures. The goods affected are: tea, coffee, chicory, tobacco, matches and playing cards.

A tax of ten per cent. will be added to the selling value of all automobiles, jewelry, talking machines, piano and organ players.

The incomes exempted from taxes have been reduced, and under the new ruling all single persons and widows or widowers whose incomes are \$1000 or more, and all married persons with an income of \$2000 or over will now have to pay the income tax.

Miss Sackville, of Lashburn, Sask., is visiting her sister Mrs. R. P. Thompson.

The Butcher visits Kirriemuir, every Friday, with a supply of meats.

McGirr found a cow in his warehouse yesterday, but it was ejected before much damage resulted. Some of the boys worked real hard before they persuaded the cow to enter.

The Reeve intends making trouble for those who persist in driving on the sidewalks.

Erie Harley is laid up with a game leg, having jumped onto a nail which was projecting through a board.

Give some aid to the Y. M. C. A.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Take notice that the trail running across my farm, on the north side of the railway, will be closed on and after Thursday, May 9th, 1918.
E. B. Killingbeck S. J. Sec. 235-5

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A few CANADA CARRIAGE Buggies just arrived. The buggy with a two-year guarantee. Be sure and see these buggies before buying. IT WILL PAY.

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"I had a bad itchy lot of pimples on my face which made it badly disfigured. They were inflamed and came to a head, and I could tear my skin as soon as a little heat came near them. I could hardly sleep."

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If you have a good complexion keep it so by using Cuticura Soap daily and Cuticura Ointment occasionally.

For Free Sample Each by Mail, address post-card: "Cuticura, Dept. A, Boston, U. S. A." Sold everywhere.

Took the Prize

A gentleman seeing a crowd of boys around a small dog went up to them and asked them what they were doing. One of them replied:

"Whoever tells the biggest lie takes the dog."

"Shocking!" said the gentleman. "When I was a little boy I never told a lie."

"Say, mister, the dog is yours."—Boston Transcript.

SPRING WEATHER HARD ON BABY

The Canadian spring weather—one day mild and bright; the next raw and blustery—is extremely hard on the baby. Conditions are such that the mother cannot take the little one out for the fresh air so much to be desired. He is confined to the house which is often overheated and badly ventilated. He catches cold; his little stomach and bowels become disordered and the mother soon has a sick baby to look after. To prevent this an occasional dose of Baby's Own Tablets should be given. They regulate the stomach and bowels, thus preventing or curing colds, simple fevers, colic or any other of the minor ailments of childhood. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

In the Absence of Clergy

Some time ago a dinner was given in New York at which a well-known actor, who is something of a free-thinker along theological lines, sat at the guest table. When the hour for starting the feast arrived the toastmaster, a very religious man, discovered that no minister of the Gospel was present, though several had been invited. In this emergency he turned to the actor and asked him to say grace.

The actor rose, bowed his head, and in the midst of a deep hush said fervently:

"There being no clergyman present, let us thank God!"—Saturday Evening Post.



A Package of Grape-Nuts teaches food conservation. Saves FUEL SUGAR TIME WHEAT AND WASTE.

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W. N. U. 1206

Ancient Bolsheviki

Athenians Declared it Monstrous to Be Prevented From Doing What They Chose

On a memorable occasion the assembled Athenians declared it monstrous that they should be prevented from doing whatever they chose. So force that existed could restrain them; and they resolved that no duty should restrain them, and that they would be bound by no laws that were not of their own making. In this way the emancipated people of Athens became a tyrant; and their government, the pioneer of European freedom, stands condemned with a terrible unanimity by all the wisest of the ancients. They ruined their city by attempting to conduct war by debate in the market place. Like the French republic, they put their successful commanders to death. They treated their dependencies with such injustice that they lost their maritime empire. They plundered the rich until the rich conspired with the public enemy, and they owned their guilt by the martyrdom of Socrates.—From Lord Acton's Essays.

CURE COWS' CAKED BAGS

With EGYPTIAN LINIMENT For Sale by all Dealers Douglas & Company, Napanee, Ont.

Boudoir Secrets

She—You've heard of people's hair turning white in a single night? Her Maid—Yes, miss, but that isn't the color it generally turns when it happens as quickly as that.

WOMEN! IT IS MAGIC! LIFT OUT ANY CORN

Apply a few drops then lift corns or calluses off with fingers—no pain



Just think! You can lift off any corn or callus without pain or soreness.

A Cincinnati man discovered this ether compound and named it Frezone. Any druggist will sell a tiny bottle of Frezone. Like here shown, for very little cost. You apply a few drops directly upon a tender corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears, then shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose you can lift it right off.

Frezone is wonderful. It dries instantly. It doesn't eat away the corn or callus, but shrivels it up without even irritating the surrounding skin.

Hard, soft or corns between the toes, as well as painful calluses, lift right off. There is no pain before or afterwards. If your druggist hasn't Frezone, tell him to order a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.

A Chapel for Lord Kitchener

It has been decided to erect a chapel in St. Paul's Cathedral in memory of Lord Kitchener. A site on the ground floor of the cathedral has been offered by the dean and chapter, and at a private meeting of the committee of the Lord Kitchener memorial fund at the mansion house the offer was accepted. In addition, the fund is providing 20 scholarships for one year to overseas sailors and soldiers who gave up their university studies to join the colors at the outbreak of war, and who have been disabled. Two have already gone to Cambridge, one to Edinburgh, one to Oxford and two to the imperial college of science.

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Dangers of the Front

Two Irish women were sympathizing with each other on the terrors of the war. One of them said: "Sure and you have heard of the trouble of Denny, my husband?"

"Naw; what was it?"

"Sure he was shot at the abdomen."

"Oh, that's too bad. And where is the abdomen?"

"I don't know, but it is somewhere at the front."

Minard's Liniment Lumberman's friend.

John—So that's your new tie, eh? Why on earth did you select such a loud pattern?

Jos—I didn't select it. My brother did, and he's slightly deaf.



Good Night!

The young man and the girl were standing outside the front door, having a final chat. He was leaning against the door post, talking in low tones. Presently the young lady looked round to discover her father in the doorway, clad in a dressing gown.

"Why, father, what in the world is the matter?" she inquired.

"John," said the father, addressing himself to the young man, "you know I have never complained about your staying late, and I'm not going to complain of that now; but goodness sake stop leaning against the bell push and let the rest of the family get some sleep."—Judge.

Corns are caused by the pressure of tight boots, but no one need be troubled with them long when so simple a remedy as Holloway's Corn Cure is available.

Landlady no Poetess

Editor—I can't use your poem, but you might leave your address.

Bard—If you don't take the poem I shan't have any address.—Boston Transcript.

Kitchen Talk

The New Maid—In my last place I always took things fairly easy.

The Cook—Ye won't do that here. They keep everything locked up.



Continuous and monotonous Work—most trying on the Nerves

DOING the same thing, in the same way, day after day and week after week, means destruction to the nerve cells and collapse of the nervous system of the human body.

Whether in the munition factory or in the home, in the store or in the office, it is monotony that kills. And it is because woman's work is more often monotonous than men's that so many women suffer from nervous exhaustion and prostration, nervous headaches, neuralgic pains and general run-down condition of the body.

It is easy for the doctor to say you must have change and rest, but the expense of living is so great at this time that few can afford to follow such advice.

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German Sword

Cannot Bring Peace

No World Peace Can Ever Be Assured Through Dominant Germany

The coming world peace, the egulitarian kaleid is reported as saying in a message from the battle front, will be assured "through the German sword." It is inconceivable that he accurately forecasts the future. It should be said in what is, perhaps, the darkest hour of the war, that no world peace can ever, by any possible decree of fate, be assured by the German sword. The worst might happen on the continent, and the broken British army be driven into its boats, out of France, retreating to its island fortress, and still America and Great Britain could continue a maritime war against Germany for years. It was done in the case of Napoleon and it is not apparent that the thing has become impossible today.—Springfield Republican.

Edith—I have just refused to marry Mr. Shyman.

Ethel—Oh, did he propose?

Edith—Well, I can't say positively, but that is how I construed his incoherent remarks.

A Cure for Rheumatism.—A painful and persistent form of rheumatism is caused by impurities in the blood, the result of defective action of the liver and kidneys. The blood becomes tainted by the introduction of uric acid, which causes much pain in the tissues and in the joints. Farnelle's Vegetable Pills are known to have effected many remarkable cures, and their use is strongly recommended. A trial of them will convince anyone of their value.

A Lady's Limit

Judge—How long did it last, this fight with your husband?

Mrs. O'Brien—Ten minutes, yer honor. Sure no lady would kape at it any longer.

Minard's Liniment Used by Physicians.

A bridegroom is a person who spends a lot of money trying himself a wedding suit that nobody notices.



Men in Training

Fighting isn't the only duty of a soldier, and exposure to bullets is not as serious as exposure to all kinds of weather and dampness.

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The Corrector Corrected

"Which of the two is the best man?"

"You should say the 'better man'."

"No, I should say I understand one of them is the 'groom.'"

One of the things a young girl has to discover for herself is that a magnum look well in a dress suit and still be a poor provider.

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FRIDAY, MAY the 3rd, 1918

Note and Comment

The Red Triangle of the Y. M. C. A. is now operating in all Allied Armies. Great Britain, Australia, South America, New Zealand, India, Canada and the States are now financing their own work and helping in Egypt, France, Mesopotamia and Italy. Not less the seventy-five million dollars will be necessary to keep up the work in 1918. The value of the work is recognized by all Allied Governments and has their official endorsements.

The following ad appeared recently in a N. Dakota paper: "Wanted, experienced telephone man, to operate exchange from 5 a. m. to 10 p. m. week days and two hours on Sunday. Also to build all the line necessary, do all repair work, furnish transportation, furnish fuel for office, and answer doctor calls day and night."

This daylight savings business appears to be working alright. The extra hour may appear rather unimportant, but it is far from that, for it is really an hour saved, to be used as one desires. It can be measured in dollars and cents, or in pleasure and health, it can be turned to good account in a hundred ways. Its worth having any way you look at it.

Every ounce of energy thrown into the work of stimulating the work of food production and achievement of food conservation, particularly at this moment, is a vital service to the Allied cause. There is need for all Canada can give of cereals, meat, bacon, butter and cheese.

Be wise in time, and if you are cultivating potatoes send to the Publications Branch, Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa, for Bulletin No. 90. This bulletin is calculated to prove an invaluable aid to the potato grower, whether in field or on garden lots. It gives information on preparing the soil, selecting the seed, planting, etc.

Farmers requiring help for the season's work may obtain same by applying to the Prov. Farm Labor Bureau, Calgary or

Edmonton, stating as fully as possible, their respective needs, wages they expect to pay and length of service required, etc.

As there are quite a few married couples, where both husband and wife are desirous of working on farms, any needing such services will do well to apply to one of the bureaus.

Wages for good experienced men are running from \$65 to \$75 per month, and women are getting from \$30 to \$40 per month.

STONELAW U. F. A.

Stonelaw Union meets 1st Saturday of each month, during the summer, at 8 p. m.

The next meeting will be held in Stonelaw School, May 4th. All members asked to attend as the twine question will be decided.

The next meeting of the U. F. W. A. Stonelaw Branch, will be held on Thursday, May 16th, at 2.30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Lash, (L. Polison's.)

The Spring vegetable lists will be on hand, any members wishing to send for same kindly be present. Lunch will be served, for which there is a small charge.

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MONITOR : ALTA.

Lord Rhondda Cables:
"We Cannot Achieve Victory Without Food.""Canada Food Board,"
"Ottawa"

"In these stern days it is inspiring to learn that Canada is tackling the food problem with redoubled energy. The terrific pressure on our military front makes it all the more imperative that those behind the line should strain every nerve to defeat the enemy's avowed object of destroying the British Empire.

"Germany hoped first to starve the Old Country by the submarine campaign and then to smash her land forces. She has failed to starve us and she will fail to smash us but we cannot achieve victory without food. There never was a time when it was more needed.

"The Canadian farmer and the Canadian farmhand now have the opportunity to make an effective reply to the enemy's present onslaughts by bending their undivided energies to the increased production of those food supplies for which we depend to such vital extent upon your great Dominion."

(Signed) "RHONDDA"

London, April 10th

The Prime Minister of Canada, in a call to Greater Food Production, says: "The crisis is grave and urgent beyond possibility of exaggeration."

Our Allies are depending upon Canada to produce this year more cereals—especially Spring Wheat—and more meat—especially Pork.

The world shortage will inevitably continue for years after the war—with this continent the nearest source of supply for the 200,000,000 persons in Europe who will be clamoring for food.

Measures have been taken and plans have been formulated which, on the authority of the Director of Agricultural Labor, will provide help needed for harvest.

City and town people who cannot go on the farms are helping to feed themselves by growing their own vegetables, so that the farmers may grow more food for export.

The food crisis calls for the utmost effort by all the people of Canada, because, as Lord Rhondda says, Food is essential to Victory.

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If your tractor runs short of gasoline, the Ford will bring a few cans right to the spot and greatly shorten the delay. Or if you need a repair, or some new plow points, you can "run" the errand to town and back in one-third the time it would take with a horse and rig.

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You Look As YOU FEEL

You know well enough when your liver is loafing.

CONSTIPATION is the first warning; then you begin to "feel mean all over."

Your skin soon gets the bad news. It grows dull, yellow, muddy and unsightly.



Violent purgatives are not what you need—just the gentle help of this old-time standard remedy.

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ABSENCE of Iron in the Blood is the reason for many colorless faces but

CARTER'S IRON PILLS will greatly help most pale-faced people.

GERMANY HAD THE OPPORTUNITY FOR PRESERVING WORLD PEACE

MORE REVELATIONS CONCERNING ENEMY'S GUILT

Memorandum of Prince Lichnowsky Shows That Germany Could Have Reached Agreement Acceptable to Great Britain, But Balked Efforts of Ambassador to London

Further sections of the memorandum which Prince Lichnowsky, German ambassador at London when the war began, wrote for the purpose of justifying his position to "personal friends," are published by The Politiken, organ of the Extreme Left of the Socialists. In the preceding section Prince Lichnowsky described his efforts to secure a better understanding between Germany and Britain after his appointment as ambassador to London in 1912, and how they were thwarted because of the persistence of the German foreign office in backing up the Austrian view on Eastern questions, the following out of which he felt would lead to a collision with Russia and a world war.

The new portions of the memorandum deal principally with the negotiations over the Anglo-German colonial treaty. Prince Lichnowsky remarks at the outset that the good relations he had established in London had effected a noticeable improvement in Germany's relations with Britain. Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign minister, devoted himself honestly to this rapprochement, says the prince, and his intentions to this end were especially noticeable as regarded the colonial treaty and the Baghdad railway.

In 1908, continues Prince Lichnowsky, Count von Hatzfeldt-Wildenburg, the German minister to Great Britain, signed a secret agreement with the British government dividing the German colonies in Africa into economic spheres of interest between Germany and Great Britain, insuring the inviolability

and independence of the Portuguese kingdom, and declaring the intention to support Portugal financially and economically. The agreement, therefore, he points out, did not clash with the old Anglo-Portuguese treaty dating from the sixteenth century. Nevertheless, at the instigation of the Marquis de Soveral, Portuguese minister to Great Britain, a new Anglo-Portuguese treaty, the so-called Windsor treaty, was signed in 1909 reinforcing the old treaty, the prince sets forth.

The Anglo-German negotiations, which began before Prince Lichnowsky's arrival, were intended to secure the revision and improvement of the treaty of 1898, and, thanks to the accommodating attitude of the British government, Prince Lichnowsky says he was able to give the new treaty a form conforming to German wishes and interests.

"Sir Edward Grey," continues Prince Lichnowsky, "wished to show us good-will, and also in the wish to further our colonial development, while the British government wished to lead the German development to power from the North Sea and Western Europe to the Atlantic and Africa, and it was against Germany her colonial development," a member of the cabinet said to me."

Prince Lichnowsky goes on to say that the treaty was practically ready in 1913, but that "new difficulties arose to prevent its signing, and only a year later, shortly before the outbreak of the war, could I receive authority to conclude the treaty. It was, however," he adds, "never signed."

"Sir Edward Grey would only sign it on condition that the treaty be published, together with the 1898 and 1899 treaties. England has no secret treaties, and it was contrary to the existing principles to keep the treaty secret. Sir Edward could therefore conclude no treaty without publishing it, but the German foreign office, where my successes in London had created increasing distrust, stated that the publication would jeopardize German interests in the colonies, where, moreover, the Portuguese would give us no more concessions. The treaty, which offered exceptional advantages, consequently fell through. This was another war sacrifice."

Sailors of Britain

Hostile to Germans

Members of National Seamen's Union Have No Use for Pirates

The attitude of British sailors with regard to Germany's submarine campaign was shown by J. Havlock Wilson, general secretary of the national seamen's union, who, speaking at a meeting of sailors at Cardiff, Wales, asked those who had been torpedoed to stand up. One hundred and seventeen men of the 300 present arose. Mr. Wilson then remarked: "You men who are standing have had some experience with German kultur. Are you prepared to follow the advice of some of our labor leaders and shake hands with the pirates? All those who are willing to shake hands with the Germans will remain standing."

Not one of the 117 men remained on his feet.

To Encourage Yukon Coal Mines

An order in council has been passed providing for a collection of royalties on coal mines in the Yukon. This step has been taken by the government in order to be in the public interest that the mining of coal in the Yukon should be encouraged.

A nickel in the slot machine flags the trolley car and issues a 5-cent ticket in a Kansas City suburban line.

Engineering Wonder

Suspension Bridge Built of Wire in British Columbia Has Collapsed

When the suspension bridge that Indians of Haglight built across the Bulley Canyon in Northwestern British Columbia recently collapsed the world lost one of its engineering wonders. With only the tools of the wilderness, with no knowledge of the laws of stress, vibration, tensile strength and carrying load of various materials, the red men succeeded after two failures in throwing across the canyon at a height of one hundred feet a suspension bridge one hundred and forty-six feet long and ten feet wide.

A little while before the first successful Atlantic cable was laid an American telegraph company conceived the brilliant scheme of connecting North America by wire with Europe. The plan was to run a line through the wilderness at the extreme end of North America, then over the very narrow strip of water of Bering Strait to land in Siberia. Thence the wire would connect with the capitals of Europe. The company started work and at immense expense carried a great deal of material into the Canadian wilderness. While the work was still proceeding, however, the unbelievable happened; the Atlantic cable was successfully placed across the bottom of the ocean. That put an end to work on the overland project, and great piles of wire were abandoned in the wilderness because of the prohibitive cost of taking it out.

This wire was the only white man's material that the Indians of Haglight used in making their remarkable suspension bridge. Their chief reliance was the timber from the surrounding forests. No fact was to be found in its entire length; the joints were made by dovetailing and by burning holes through the logs and fastening them together with strong handmade wooden spikes.

When the Klondike rush occurred the bridge had many lookers on over the difficult canyon, for it lay on the route that a great many men took going into the mines.

Its collapse was withal a neglect, for, although several requests had been made for a grant to preserve it, nothing had been done. This neglect is probably explained by the fact that the bridge was no longer needed commercially, for not long ago an English firm of bridge builders spanned the canyon with the latest type of modern suspension bridge. The new structure, one of the highest of its kind on the North American continent, is two hundred and fifty feet above the river. It is four hundred and fifty-one feet long and nine feet wide, and is capable of sustaining a load of one hundred and fifty thousand pounds. A photograph shows the two bridges, a striking contrast, now unfortunately lost to view forever.

More Freedom the Cure

Violence and Outrages Due to Ignorance of the People

If it were possible that a people brought up under an intolerant and arbitrary system could subvert that system in its own interests, and, fully, half the objections to despotic power would be removed. We deplore the outrages which accompany revolutions, but the more we study the outrages, the more assured we feel that a revolution was necessary. The violence of these outrages will always be proportioned to the intensity and ignorance of the people and will be proportioned to the oppression and degradation under which they have been compelled to live. It is the character of such revolutions that we always see the worst of them at first. Till men have been some time free, they know not how to use their freedom. The final and permanent fruits of liberty are wisdom, moderation, and mercy. Its immediate effects are often atrocious crimes, conflicting errors, skepticism on points the most clear, dogmatism on points the most mysterious. It is just at this crisis that its enemies love to exhibit it. There is only one cure for the evils which newly-acquired freedom produces; and that cure is freedom. The reformer who has got thus far may be tempted to exclaim: "What tussle!" But what he has been reading was written by Macaulay in 1825. We admit, without reservation, that it is applicable to events in Russia in 1918—From the New York Evening Post.

Siam Will Send 500 Aviators
Frank Arnold, former minister at Bangkok, returning to New York, says Siam will contribute 500 aviators with complete quota of airplanes to the cause of the allies. He says the Siamese take naturally to aviation, under instruction.

A Forecast

Our confident prediction is that the Kaiser won't be in a position much longer to give his identity and God's mixed up without making even his own people laugh in a sad and hollow way—Columbus, (O.) State Journal.

There are three ways out of a scrape—push out, back out, and keep out.

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RUSSIA HAS LONG BEEN UNDER THE DOMINATION OF GERMANY

WORK OF UNDERMINING NATIONAL STRUCTURE

Collapse of Nation was the Logical Result of a Campaign that Has Been Going On for Generations, According to Writers Who Have Intimate Knowledge of Conditions

It is a mistaken idea that the collapse of Russia is a new thing. It has been a matter of a few months. For fifty years or more the Germans have been undermining the national structure of Russia, and only a miracle could have prevented what has happened. It was the logical result of a campaign that has been going on for generations, and we look back over the events of recent years to see that the alliance between Russia and France was an artificial alliance, and that the natural fate of the Russian people was that of subservience to Germany. Prussia knows Russia better than any other country knows her. The French were strangers in the alliance, however honestly Russian statesmen strove to fulfill the terms of the pact. There is a common Russian saying, "The money comes from France, but the brains come from Germany."

In Russia we are watching the last act of the drama; we see military penetration following the peaceful penetration that was going on even before the birth of the German empire. Attention is called to this fact by K. Bercevic in the New York Sun, who seems to know as much about foreign affairs as his name implies. He quotes from C. L. Schmitt, who wrote a history of Russia in 1847, in which he says with simple Teutonic modesty: "Russia contains within her a nation of Germans, who in all respects possess an unquestioned superiority over the Russians. And it is from them, the Germans, that she draws the most brilliant of her statesmen, her politicians and her warriors. And why is it that these are, comparatively speaking, so superior to her Russian subjects? Precisely because as men they were born Germans; their intelligence have been cultivated, have been developed in the more genial soil of a richer, a more elevated, a more enlightened civilization." Old Kultur again.

But there is truth in the boasting, and in the old saying about the brains coming from Germany. The penetration of Russia by Prussia which has been going on for generations with the approval, if not with the suggestion, of the German government, has had the tendency of putting Russian business in the hands of Germans. They have been the lawyers, the professors, the "intellectuals" of the country. It is said that in the eyes of the ignorant Russian peasant every German is a doctor, and there is a story to the effect that when the German doctor died in a certain village the populace insisted that his German servant should carry on the business and beat him until he consented to do so. The higher educational standards in Germany enabled the German professional man to outstrip his competitors and just as other countries, against their will perhaps, have become resigned to see the banking business largely in the hands of Jews, so the Russians have become accustomed to seeing Germans controlling the commerce of the country and becoming leaders in other walks of life.

In Lithuania the richest tradesmen are Germans. The Baltic provinces have been thoroughly Germanized, and the aristocracy is almost wholly German. Poland, Finland and Courland acknowledged German predominance long before the events of the past few months. It is true, as the historian boasted, that Russia has been indebted to Germany for many of the men who have directed her public affairs. Russia's greatest oppressors—Bulren, Pahlen, and Gendenski, Berg, von Plehve, Minko, Riman, Kaulbars and Steurman have been Germans; and the head of the Russian army have been such Teutons as Szelberg, Stark, Stossel, Rennenkamp, Grip-

penberg and Graner. In many cases where the German name of a particular Russian does not explain his pro-Germanism his affection for Germany was derived from a German mother, or perhaps from a handsome German bride.

Germany has always formed a barrier between Russia and the outside world. We have been obliged to see Russia through her eyes, and her desire was to show Russia the worst advantage in order that the Russians might drink in the belief that Germany alone understood and loved her. In the Jewish massacres were approved by Germany with this end in view. Germany had also the motive of particular hatred for the Jews because they promised eventually to open the eyes of the Russians to the fact that they were being exploited by Germany. German agents were also active in promoting revolutionary uprisings and in any other enterprise which would weaken the strength of the nation, though in the estimation of the outside world and make its final downfall more certain. For generations she continued to "bear" the stock of the Bear in order that at the meeting of the creditors she could buy in the hide at her own figure. She appears to have succeeded, though her present title is none better than that of a man who buys property at a tax sale.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

Snacked on Books

Tom—So you stole a kiss from the poetess. How did you like it?
Dick—Miss Sonnet has a marked literary taste.



ON GUARD

At this time of the year people feel weak, tired, listless, their blood is thin, they have lived indoors and perhaps expended all their mental and bodily energy and they want to know how to renew their energy and stamina, overcome headaches and backaches, have clear eyes, a smooth, ruddy skin, and feel the exhilaration of real good health tingling through their body. Good, pure, rich, red blood is the best insurance against all of these. Almost all diseases come from impure and impoverished blood. It is to be noticed in the pale or pimply face, the tired, haggard appearance or the listless manner.

Drink hot water a half hour before meals, and for a reliable tonic there's nothing better than Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the old-fashioned herbal remedy, which has had such a fine reputation for fifty years. It contains no alcohol or narcotics. It is made from Golden Seal root, Blood-root, Oregon grape root, Queen's root, Black Cherry bark, extracted with glycerine and made into tablets and liquid. Tablets fifty cents at most drug stores. In order to insure pure blood and to build up the system try this tonic known as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Get it now!

BUSY BIDEFORD

The old Adam dies hard in man, and the Eve in woman lives for ever. When our first parent dared to leave the sphere of home (like a modern suffragette) and went wandering around listening to the naughty suggestions of the serpent, it was her insatiable inquisitiveness that caused the world all the trouble it ever had. Today, in little Bideford, Mother Eve lives again in her daughters. "Do, please, say who the stranger was who ate the supper and refused the Red Cross", implored the sweet young thing. But the Newswoman was unmoved—silent as the Sphinx. "Just tell me" coaxed a married lady, "I won't tell anyone, I want to know who the mean thing was?" "He was not mean," replied the Newswoman, "he was the most generous man around, with his advice. He handed that out freely and for nothing, and the Red Cross worker is still chewing the out of his cheap criticism. The burning question is, who was he?"

By the way, we see there are new rules made to stop harmful criticism of the war. Let us keep a sharp lookout on our unruly members.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker, our popular C. P. R. agent, and Miss Elsie, have gone touring in their car. We wish them a fine holiday and the best of good luck.

A Bideford paterfamilias looked very serious over his pipe and Library book, on Sunday afternoon. "Don't you like the tale?" enquired Mater. "Its alright, for a man perhaps, but hardly the kind of book for Bideford's bonny girls to ponder over. The Library should make a more careful selection," said Pa sternly. "Now, girls, don't all rush to get that book, for we just want tell you the name."

An enquirer asks if there is a Red Cross Society here. No, friend there is not, although it is the feeling of many people that such a society should be organized in order that this town can fall in line with others. At present this work is under the competent care of the Women's Institute, but the disadvantage here is that the men folk are left out in the cold, and the Red Cross requires the co-operation of every man, woman and child. It is proposed that a townsmen's meeting be called to discuss the matter and put the town on the Red Cross map.

The gipsy folk managed to tell us of two fortunes at 50 cents a time—youth loves to peer into the future and when you are promised a rich and handsome husband and three beautiful children, why its cheap at the price!

The ladies of this town are to be congratulated on their automobilizing. We had the pleasure of a moonlight car ride by the shores of Lake Bideford, the other night and the pleasant, pulsing, rhythmic movement of the car, competently driven by Miss Annie McLeod, was delightful. Last time we covered the roads in the car of a trail devourer, who hit the high spots at the rate of fifty miles per.

The station was crowded when Mrs. J. D. Robinson, with her little son and Gladys Conquest, left for Saskatoon. The Dr. did the trip next day in his car. There can be no doubt of their popularity when the whole town turned out to bid them good-bye.

The Newswoman wishes to thank the live wires who contributed to the Press Box this week. The notes are sent in, but we are all at the tender mercies of Ye Ed. Please do not shoot the Newswoman if your poetry does not appear in print. Let us live in hope if we die in despair.

A suggestion for Arbor Day. Now that we are to have a new railway depot, is it not about time that the Board of Trade invested a few dollars in planting some trees on Railway Ave. or Main St., which may be the beginning of redeeming our treeless prairie town from its bareness?

An excellent letter to the school children from Lieut. Gov. Lake of Regina, appeared in the Sask. Star. Miss Inkster read it to the children—a stirring appeal to them to work for the Red Cross. There is one way they can work, a way that gives pleasure to others, and is a means of obtaining self-culture in matters musical and dramatic, is to get up a children's entertainment. The children would have enjoyed it, "Merry Maypole" revels with original songs and dances, but the dictum of the parents was that their help is needed on the farm. The chores we have always with us but childhood's years, when education is of the supreme importance, never come again and the chance of having tuition in music and elocution is not always available on the prairie.

Bideford's latest song, dedicated to the fair autoists, is "Where do we go from here, girls?"

At the last meeting of the Institute when the dutiful husbands arrived to take their respective 'better halves' home, by car, the ladies were still lingering over the dainty lunch provided by the hostess. The men returned later and somehow or other wives and babies got mixed up. Some wives found they had the wrong husbands and cars, but we should worry over a little trifle like that. All's well that ends well.

Transient Ads.

\$40 REWARD

\$40.00 for information leading to the recovery of the following horses:

Bay Mare, 11 years old, weight 1200 lbs, few white hairs on forehead.

Bay Mare, 10 years old, weight 1250 lbs, scar on left rump.

Bay Gelding, 9 years old, weight 1250, small white star on forehead, white hind foot.

Light Bay Gelding, 2 years, weight 1250, white star on forehead, white stocking on hind legs, wire cut on left front shoulder.

J. T. Ward, Esther, Alta. 20-32-3-4

ESTRAY

On the premises of H. Jackson, 28-34-3, Kirriemuir, one very dark brown gelding, white hind feet, star on forehead, no visible brand, weight 1300 lbs. Has been with the bunch most of the winter.

LOST

One dark roan filly, rising 3 years.

\$10 reward for information leading to recovery of the same.

R. Cates 23-29-4-4 Oyen

OATS FOR SALE

A quantity of feed oats for sale. Apply to Alberta Pacific Grain Co. M. A. Vanhorn, Agent. 44

EGGS FOR SALE

Settings from Pure Bred Rhode Island Reds, at \$1.25 per 13.

Satisfactory hatches guaranteed. Woodrow Bros. Monitor

ESTRAY

On the premises of W. F. Moorhead 18-36-3, two black mares and one bay gelding. Have been here since Jan. 15th. Owners please remove same and pay expenses.

STRAYED

A bay gelding, 5 years old, weight 1300 lbs, star on forehead.

D. Martin 12-36-4 Monitor

STRAYED

1 buckskin gelding, 7 years old, branded, forefoot cut last fall, weight 1100 lbs.

1 sorrel gelding, 7 year old, weight 950 lbs, lump on right front knee, shod in front, forefoot gut, last fall, white stripe on face.

1 bay gelding colt, star on forehead, mane trimmed last fall.

\$10 reward for information leading to recovery.

Rammus Bros Bideford, Alta.

LOST

Lost a brown wolf hound, had a rope around his neck.

Suitable reward for information leading to recovery.

Neil Mitchell Kirriemuir, Alta. Sec. 7-35-2

Vast Issues Depend Upon the Welfare of Our Men!



Cheer Up and Thank God for the Y.M.C.A.

TRY to picture yourself in the muddy cold trenches after exciting days and long nights of mortal danger and intense nervous strain. Rushing "whiz-bangs" and screaming "coal boxes" are no respecters of persons. You are hit! But despite shock and pain you still can face the long weary trudge back to dressing station. Weary, overwrought and depressed, you are prey to wild imaginings of that other coming ordeal with the surgeon. There are other "walking wounded," too! You must wait, wait, wait. And then—

Up comes a cheery Y.M.C.A. man, the ever-present "big brother" to the soldier, with words of manly encouragement. Close beside the dressing station the good generous folks at home have enabled him to set up a canteen. He hands you biscuits, and chocolate or coffee.

Y.M.C.A.

Red Triangle Fund

\$2,250,000, May 7, 8, 9

Canada-Wide Appeal

"In thousands of cases," writes an officer, "it was that first hot cup of coffee that dragged the man back to life and sanity."

The tremendous helpfulness of the Y.M.C.A. as an aid to the "morale," or fighting spirit, of the soldiers is everywhere praised. No wonder the Germans make every effort to smash the Y.M.C.A. huts out of existence.

The Y.M.C.A. is everywhere. You first met the helpful, manly Y.M.C.A. worker in camp, then on train and boat, at camp in England and in France, close to the firing line. Often he risks his life to reach you in the trenches. He has won the warmest praise from military authorities, statesmen—the King!

Have you a precious boy at the front? You cannot be "over there" to guide him away from fierce temptations of camp and city. You cannot comfort him in his supreme hour of trial. Your parcels to him are necessarily few. But the Y.M.C.A., thank God, is "over there," going where you cannot go—doing the very things you long to do—doing it for you and for him.

Will you help? This vast organization of helpfulness needs at least \$2,250,000 from Canada for 1918. For your boy's sake be GENEROUS!!

National Council, Young Men's Christian Association Campaign Directors for Western Canada

British Columbia: J. S. Rankin, 697 Board of Trade Bldg., Vancouver

Alberta: John Hanna, City Hall, Calgary

Saskatchewan: T. D. Patton, Y.M.C.A., Regina

Manitoba: J. H. Crocker, 1106 McArthur Bldg., Winnipeg

War Work Summary

There are:

- 96 branches of Canadian Y.M.C.A. in France.
- 79 branches in England.
- Dozens of Y.M.C.A. dug-outs in forward trenches under fire.
- Over 120 Military Secretaries overseas.
- 300,000 letters a day written in Y.M.C.A. overseas buildings.
- \$133,000 needed for athletic equipment. (Helps morale of soldiers.)
- Y.M.C.A. saved hundreds of lives at Vimy Ridge by caring for walking wounded.
- Over 100 planes in England and France, also 300 gramophones and 27 moving picture machines.
- Y.M.C.A. helps boys in hospitals.
- More than 60,000 cups of hot tea and coffee distributed daily in France—free. Estimated cost for 8 months, \$48,000.
- 147,000 magazines distributed free every month. (Estimated cost \$15,000.)
- \$125,000 used in 1917 to build huts in France.
- Concerts, sing-songs, good-night services and personal interviews energetically conducted. Concerts, lectures, etc., cost \$5,000 a month.
- Thousands of soldiers decide for the better life.
- Y.M.C.A. sells many useful things to soldiers for their convenience. Profits, if any, all spent for benefit of soldiers.
- Service to boys in Camp hospitals.
- Red Triangle Clubs for soldiers in Toronto, St. John and Montreal. Centres in Paris and London for men on leave.
- Out of Red Triangle Fund, \$75,000 to be contributed to the War Work of the Y.W.C.A.

Boys!

Here's your chance to do a fine stroke in the big war! Help the Y.M.C.A. to help your big brothers overseas by joining in the

"Earn and Give Campaign"

Six thousand Canadian older boys are invited to earn and give at least Ten Dollars (\$10) to the Red Triangle Fund. That means \$60,000 in all! Splendid! Five thousand dollars will be used for boys' work in India and China; another \$5,000 for the National Boys' Work of Canada, and \$50,000 to help big brothers in Khaki. Ask your local Y.M.C.A. representative for information and pledge card. When you have subscribed one or more units of Ten Dollars, you will receive a beautifully engraved certificate.

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Lost, Strayed or Stolen

Will the party who took the pair of tube hockey skates and boots from the Monitor Rink, last winter, please return same? Frank Beamer, Monitor

General Local News of The Town and District

Readers Can Make This Column
More Interesting By Informing
The Editor of Events Occur-
ing Hereabouts

The Red Cross Society will meet every Friday afternoon in the Big Hall (down-stairs).

High-oven or Lighter Day Ranges. Plow Shares for your Plow. All makes and sizes.

W. H. Olson

Birth—To Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, on Sunday April 21st, a daughter.

Milo Melvin left for Calgary on Tuesday, to don the khaki.

J. R. Van Nest had the misfortune to lose his barn and the contents, by fire, last Friday. The barn was a comparatively new one, having been erected last fall.

Rev. Collins will give his third sermon of the series on Book of Revelations, Sunday evening, in the Big Hall.

E. MacRae failed to pass the medical examination for enlistment in the Mounted Police, so is back at teaching again.

Oscar Johnson put one of his Wessax Tractfords to work and disced down the Red Cross garden plot, at the station.

G. Tinkess disposed of some of his live stock, last week, selling 31 head to Dr. Day of Consort, and 8 head to Bill Moorhead.

The school children are busy these days with their garden plots, on the school grounds. They had a "bee" on Wednesday.



POOL HALL AND BOWLING ALLEY REGULATION

NOTICE is hereby given that the following regulations have been duly made by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

1. Other than tobacco, no articles shall be sold or kept for sale on the licensed premises.
2. No business other than that covered by license shall be carried on in the premises.
3. No gambling or game of chance of any kind shall be allowed.
4. Outside windows shall not be obscured so as to in any degree prevent an uninterrupted view of the interior from the outside.
5. License may be suspended or revoked, at any time without notice, where in the opinion of the Attorney General the Act and regulations are being disregarded.
6. Application for new license, renewal or transfer of license must be first approved of both as to character of applicant and suitability of premises, by the Mayor, Reeve or Chairman of the Board of Municipal District, or an Inspector of Provincial Police, or a Pool Room Inspector, and notice of such application published in a local newspaper once a week for at least two weeks.

Edmonton, April 20th, 1918.

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Deputy Attorney General.

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The next meeting of the above will be held on Saturday, May 25th, at 8 p. m., sharp. All members are asked to attend to make arrangements for the picnic.

W. Adkin, Sec-Treas.

RED CROSS

Meeting held April 26th, 11 members present. Work handed in: Mrs. Craig 4, Mrs. Davis 2 and Mrs. English 2, personal property bags; Mrs. C. Harley

10 cotton binders; Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Deadmarsh, each a pair of socks. Work completed at meeting, 39 handkerchiefs.

R. M. of Stewart No. 302
NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Stewart, No. 302.

TAKE NOTICE that His Honour Judge Morrison, Judge of the District Court of the District of Stettler, will at the sittings of the Court on Thursday the 19th day of June 1918, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Rural Municipality of Stewart No. 302. Jas. H. Norton, Sec-Treas.

REMOVAL

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